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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

DARMANJOT SINGH,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 5:23-MJ-00037-CDB

STIPULATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR
PRELIMINARY HEARING PURSUANT TO RULE
5.1(d) AND EXCLUSION OF TIME

DATE: February 15, 2024
TIME: 2:30 p.m.

Plaintiff United States of America, by and through its attorney of record, Assistant United States Attorney ANTONIO J. PATAKA, and defendant DARMANJOT SINGH, both individually and by and through his counsel of record, TIMOTHY HENNESSY, hereby stipulate as follows:

1. The Complaint in this case was filed on September 29, 2023, and defendant first appeared before a judicial officer of the Court in which the charges in this case were pending on December 14, 2023. The court set a preliminary hearing date of February 15, 2024.

2. On December 14, 2023, the Court found good cause to continue the preliminary hearing to January 17, 2024, and excluded time under the Speedy Trial act from December 14, 2023, to February 15, 2024. On January 3, 2024, the Court found good cause to continue the preliminary hearing to February 15, 2024, and excluded time under the Speedy Trial act from January 17, 2024, to February 15, 2024.

3. By this stipulation, the parties jointly move for an extension of time of the preliminary

1 hearing date to March 5, 2024, at 2:30 p.m., before the Honorable Magistrate Judge Christopher D.
2 Baker, pursuant to Rule 5.1(d) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. The parties stipulate that the
3 delay is required because defense counsel will be engaged in a federal trial *Charles Barrett 1:22-cr-*
4 *00213-JAM-BAM USA v. Barrett*. Additionally, the delay is required to allow the defense reasonable
5 time for preparation, and for the government's continuing investigation of the case. The parties further
6 agree that the interests of justice served by granting this continuance outweigh the best interests of the
7 public and the defendant in a speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

8 4. The parties agree that good cause exists for the extension of time, and that the extension
9 of time would not adversely affect the public interest in the prompt disposition of criminal cases.
10 Therefore, the parties request that the time between February 15, 2024, and March 5, 2024, be excluded
11 pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv), Local Code T-4.

12 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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14 Dated: January 30, 2024

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16 /s/ ANTONIO J. PATACA
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19 Dated: January 30, 2024

/s/ TIMOTHY P. HENNESSY
TIMOTHY P. HENNESSY
Counsel for Defendant
Darmanjot Singh

ORDER

Upon the parties' stipulation dated January 30, 2024 (Doc. 14), and for good cause shown, the preliminary hearing that is scheduled for February 15, 2024, is continued to March 5, 2024, at 2:30 p.m. Time under the Speedy Trial Act shall be excluded from February 15, 2024, through March 5, 2024, for the reasons set forth in the parties' stipulation, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B)(iv). IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **January 30, 2024**


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE